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SECURITY RELATIONSHIP IS POSSIBLE. WE WANT TO AVOID SITUATION WHERE TURKS FEEL WE ARE DELIBERATELY TRYING TO CIRCUMVENT THEIR DEMANDS. WE CERTAINLY WANT TO AVOID ANY POSSIBILITY OF PHYSICAL CONFRONTATION. IN THE VOLATILE POLITICAL ATMOSPHERE IN TURKEY, THE ONLY WAY TO PRESERVE OUR INTERESTS IS TO WORK CLOSELY WITH THE GOVERNMENT AND EXPLORE ALL AVENUES TO ASSURE THAT AMERICAN POSITIONS ARE NOT JEOPARDIZED. YOU SHOULD, AS REFTEL POINTS OUT. CONFIRM WITH THE TURKISH AUTHORITIE AT EACH STEP OF THE WAYTHAT WE ARE NOT GETTING AHEAD OF THE TURKS IN OUR ORDERS TO CONSTITUENT POSTS BUT THAT WE ARE SCRUPULOUSLY OBSERVING THEIR REQUESTS UNTIL DETAILED NEGOTIATIONS PUT NEW ARRANGEMENTS IN PLACE. YOU SHOULD KNOW THAT CONCURRENCE IN YOUR RECOMMENDATIONS WAS A DECISION TAKEN AT THE HIGHEST LEVEL. KISSINGER UNQUTTE INGERSOLL

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